

b) Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the current title on pages 1 and 2 of the specification with the following new title:

~~METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR WRITING UOPS INTO A BUFFER QUEUE
INCLUDING OVERWRITING ENTRIES THAT ARE INDICATED TO CONTAIN
INVALID UOPS~~

METHOD AND APPARATUS SELECTIVELY TO ADVANCE A WRITE
POINTER FOR A QUEUE BASED ON THE INDICATED VALIDITY OR INVALIDITY
OF AN INSTRUCTION STORED WITHIN THE QUEUE